

**Reservoir High School Music Boosters
Executive Board Meeting
September 10, 2007**

Call to Order

President Wes Alexander called the meeting to order at 7:30.

Minutes of the 8/13/07 Executive Board meeting

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Treasurer's Report

- Anne Lee reviewed the Profit and Loss Budget Performance spreadsheet. The question was raised of when we need to decide what to do with Surplus Funds account. Since we can carry it over, no decision has to be made.
- After the August meeting, no more suggestions for modifying this year's budget were brought to the board's attention, so Anne made the modifications she had proposed at the meeting (eliminating the basket bingo and dinner out fundraisers). The budget was approved as submitted by voice vote.

Hot Business

- March-a-thon: 30% of students have turned in their contributions so far.
- Pizza sale: Dave and Barb Sherry need help on delivery day (Sept. 27) starting at 1:30 when the truck arrives.
- Marching Band:
 - Brian Donnelly requested more volunteers for the pit crew, preferably people who will be involved again next year for continuity.
 - We have received tickets for 4 shows. Each show has a different ticket price, and only the Westminster show has no minimum sales requirement. The October 20 (Century) show has a minimum sale requirement (94 tickets); we will have to pay for them whether or not we sell them. The National championship and Marine Corps championship tickets have already been purchased, so we need to sell lots to recover their cost.
 - More T-shirts will be produced from this year's design for a spiritwear sale.

On the Horizon:

- Art Auction: Feb. 23 is the date. Tickets will be on sale at the winter concerts. Christine Danehill (freshman parent) has volunteered to help.
- Concert attire: New students in symphonic band, madrigals, orchestra, and choir were measured with the intention of placing an order by September 21. These students will be bringing home a new invoice.
- Concert planning: Nikki Brown volunteered to chair.
- Spring trip: The directors have discussed destination ideas with each other and the seniors, trying to find somewhere new within a 4-8 hour radius. Matt really

liked the Myrtle Beach trip because of the comraderie, so he's leaning toward Virginia Beach (the awards ceremony would be at Busch Gardens).

Staff comments

- Matt Dubbs:
 - Concert band will be getting chair placement music next week, and seating will be done around the beginning of October
 - Jazz band music will be available next week, and auditions will be held in mid-October
- Greg Knauff:
 - Little Shop of Horrors will be performed Nov. 15-18. It is a big production but has a small cast, so he needs lots of volunteers.
 - Voice placements are underway for the concert choir, and lunch choir will start next week
 - The Madrigals are hoping to find a weekend to take a trip to the Renaissance Festival
- Colin O'Brian:
 - Full orchestra rehearsal has started already, but he would take additional enthusiastic volunteers. Seating auditions will be in 2 weeks.
 - A master class is scheduled for Nov. 5.

Discussion:

- Bonnie Dorr has 6 Florida Gators rain ponchos. She's willing to sell at cost (\$5). They just say "Gators" and use the same logo as RHS.
- Shirley is looking for ideas of where to donate the black skirts that were used for concerts in the past.
- John Lee reminded everyone about the fruit sale, which will deliver in November, December and January. John would like to have a co-chair this year.

Adjournment

With no further business before the group, the meeting adjourned at 8:45 p.m. The next general membership meeting is scheduled for October 8, 2007 at 7:30 p.m. in the music suite.

Respectfully submitted,

Susannah Schiller
Secretary, RHS Music Boosters